MUSSELSHELL COUNTY
population 3,734

DATE OF ORGANIZATION: March 1, 1911

GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION: Central Montana

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: 2

PLANNING DISTRICT: 6

LAND AREA: 1,887 square miles

CLASS OF COUNTY: 6

ASSESSED VALUATION (1973-74): $25,848,490

TAXABLE VALUATION (1973-74): $ 8,914,924

COUNTY SEAT: Roundup, population 2,116

OTHER INCORPORATED PLACES:
Melstone, population 227

SPECIAL NOTES:

PUBLIC USE AIRPORTS: 1

ROADS AND STREETS (1972):
Rural Mileage 1090.62
Municipal Mileage 25.68

NEWSPAPERS:
Daily
Weekly 1

BROADCAST STATIONS:
Radio
TV

BANKS: 2

LIBRARIES:
Public 1
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School 3

HOSPITALS: 1

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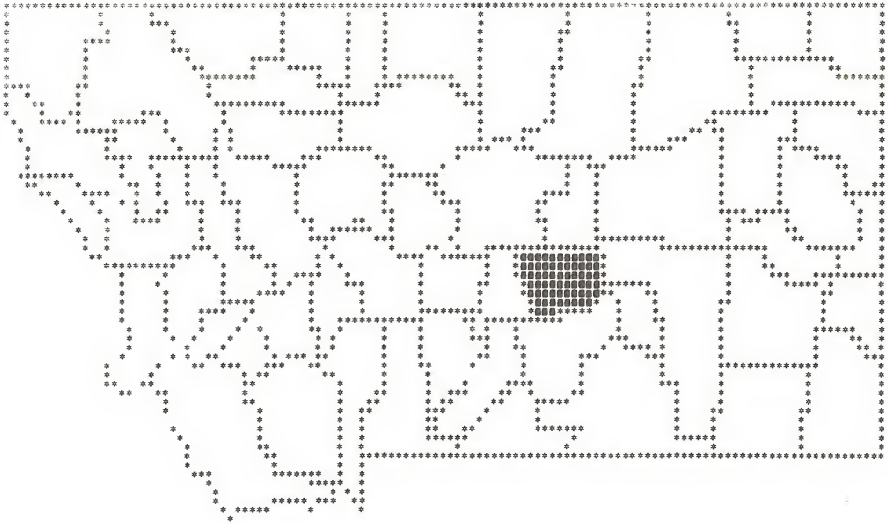

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1. POPULATION

-TABLE 1.1-
URBAN AND RURAL CLASSIFICATION, 1960 AND 1970

ITEM	1960 NUMBER	1960 % OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 % OF TOTAL	% CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
URBAN	2842	58.1%	0	0.0%	-- --
RURAL	2046	41.9%	3734	100.0%	82.5%
RURAL FARM	782	16.0%	804	21.5%	2.8%
RURAL NON-FARM	1264	25.9%	2930	78.5%	131.8%

-TABLE 1.2-
RACE CLASSIFICATION, 1960 AND 1970

ITEM	1960 NUMBER	1960 % OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 % OF TOTAL	% CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
WHITE	4876	99.8%	3729	99.9%	-23.5%
NON-WHITE	12	0.2%	5	0.1%	-58.3%
INDIAN	6	0.1%	2	0.1%	-66.7%
OTHER NON-WHITE	6	0.1%	3	0.1%	-50.0%

-TABLE 1.3-
TOTAL POPULATION BY SEX, 1940, 1950, 1960, AND 1970

SEX	1940 NUMBER	1950 NUMBER	1950 % CHANGE FROM 1940	1960 NUMBER	1960 % CHANGE FROM 1950	1970 NUMBER	1970 % CHANGE FROM 1960
MALE	3055	2893	-5.3%	2540	-12.2%	1891	-25.6%
FEMALE	2662	2515	-5.5%	2348	-6.6%	1843	-21.5%
TOTAL	5717	5408	-5.4%	4888	-9.6%	3734	-23.6%

SOURCES: TABLE 1.1 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1960, 1970, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA
TABLE 1.2 IBID
TABLE 1.3 US CENSUS OF POP: 1940, 1950, VOL II, CHAR OF THE POP; 1960, 1970, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA

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********** 1. POPULATION **********

-TABLE 1.4-
TOTAL POPULATION, ESTIMATES FOR 1971,1972 AND 1973

1971		1972		1973	
NUMBER	% CHANGE FROM 1970	NUMBER	% CHANGE FROM 1971	NUMBER	% CHANGE FROM 1972
3700	-0.9%	3900	5.4%	4100	5.1%

-TABLE 1.5-
TOTAL POPULATION, PROJECTED TO 1975 AND 1980, UNDER 4 ALTERNATIVE MIGRATION ASSUMPTIONS

CONTINUED 1960-1970 MIGRATION TRENDS TO 1980		NO NET MIGRATION FROM 1970 TO 1980		50% DECREASE IN 1960-1970 MIGRATION TRENDS FROM 1970 TO 1980		50% INCREASE IN 1960-1970 MIGRATION TRENDS FROM 1970 TO 1980	
1975	1980	1975	1980	1975	1980	1975	1980
3269	2773	3657	3807	3469	3306	3072	2248

-TABLE 1.6-
NET MIGRATION, 1950 TO 1960, AND 1960 TO 1970

NET MIGRATION 1950 TO 1960	NET MIGRATION 1960 TO 1970	% CHANGE BETWEEN DECENNIA
-996	-1245	-25.0%

SOURCES: TABLE 1.4 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, CURRENT POP REPORTS, SERIES P-26, NOS 19, 53
TABLE 1.5 MONTANA DEPT OF IGR, DIV OF RESEARCH & INFORMATION SYS, MONTANA POP PROJECTIONS (UNPUBLISHED)
TABLE 1.6 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, COUNTY AND CITY DATA BOOK, 1967, 1972

-TABLE 1.7-
TOTAL POPULATION BY SEX AND AGE FOR 1960 AND 1970

SEX/AGE GROUPS	1960 NUMBER	1960 % OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 % OF TOTAL	% CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
MALE					
UNDER 5	272	10.3%	142	7.3%	-47.8%
5-17	650	24.7%	487	25.0%	-25.1%
5 YEAR OLDS	63	2.4%	24	1.2%	-61.9%
18-64	1219	46.3%	974	50.0%	-20.1%
18 YEAR OLDS	28	1.1%	34	1.7%	21.4%
65 AND OVER	399	15.2%	288	14.8%	-27.8%
ALL AGES	2631	100.0%	1949	100.0%	-25.9%
FEMALE					
UNDER 5	280	11.6%	131	6.9%	-53.2%
5-17	599	24.7%	447	23.7%	-25.4%
5 YEAR OLDS	51	2.1%	20	1.1%	-60.8%
18-64	1169	48.2%	945	50.0%	-19.2%
18 YEAR OLDS	25	1.0%	26	1.4%	4.0%
65 AND OVER	300	12.4%	320	16.9%	6.7%
ALL AGES	2424	100.0%	1889	100.0%	-22.1%
TOTAL					
UNDER 5	552	10.9%	273	7.1%	-50.5%
5-17	1249	24.7%	934	24.3%	-25.2%
5 YEAR OLDS	114	2.3%	44	1.1%	-61.4%
18-64	2388	47.2%	1919	50.0%	-19.6%
18 YEAR OLDS	53	1.0%	60	1.6%	13.2%
65 AND OVER	699	13.8%	608	15.8%	-13.0%
ALL AGES	5055	100.0%	3838	100.0%	-24.1%

SOURCES: TABLE 1.7 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1960, 1970, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA

TABLE 2.1
EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY SEX, SIXTEEN YEARS OLD AND OVER, 1970

STATUS	TOTAL NUMBER	MALE NUMBER	MALE % OF TOTAL	FEMALE NUMBER	FEMALE % OF TOTAL
COUNT	2670	1351	50.6%	1319	49.4%
LABOR FORCE	1440	949	65.9%	491	34.1%
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	1440	949	65.9%	491	34.1%
EMPLOYED	1333	874	65.6%	459	34.4%
UNEMPLOYED	107	75	70.1%	32	29.9%
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	1230	402	32.7%	828	67.3%
ENROLLED IN SCHOOL	165	96	58.2%	69	41.8%

-TABLE 2.2-
EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY SEX, FOURTEEN YEARS OLD AND OVER, 1960

STATUS	TOTAL NUMBER	MALE NUMBER	MALE % OF TOTAL	FEMALE NUMBER	FEMALE % OF TOTAL
COUNT	3397	1736	51.1%	1661	48.9%
LABOR FORCE	1729	1216	70.3%	513	29.7%
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	1729	1216	70.3%	513	29.7%
EMPLOYED	1663	1168	70.2%	495	29.8%
UNEMPLOYED	66	48	72.7%	18	27.3%
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	1668	520	31.2%	1148	68.8%
ENROLLED IN SCHOOL	244	135	55.3%	109	44.7%

SOURCES: TABLE 2.1 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1970, VOL 1, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA
TABLE 2.2 US CENSUS OF POP: 1960, VOL 1, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA

-TABLE 2.3-
EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE AND BROAD INDUSTRIAL SOURCES, FULL AND PART TIME WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT, PLUS THE NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS, 1967 THROUGH 1971

CLASSIFICATION	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1413	1406	1467	1541	1583
NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS	451	450	502	504	501
FARM	256	256	254	251	246
NON-FARM	195	194	248	253	255
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT	962	956	965	1037	1082
FARM	110	95	94	93	102
NON-FARM	852	861	871	944	980
GOVERNMENT	228	226	222	230	243
TOTAL FEDERAL	19	18	16	15	18
FEDERAL CIVILIAN	19	18	16	15	18
MILITARY	0	0	C	0	0
STATE AND LOCAL	209	208	206	215	225
PRIVATE NON-FARM	624	635	649	714	737
MANUFACTURING	20	22	20	33	32
MINING	108	142	164	182	197
CONSTRUCTION	18	21	WITHHELD	WITHHELD	9
TRANSP,COMM,PUB UTIL	41	48	47	43	43
TRADE	226	204	200	211	220
FINANCE,INSUR,REAL ESTATE	32	32	WITHHELD	WITHHELD	37
SERVICES	179	166	160	178	182
OTHER	0	0	6	21	17

SOURCES: TABLE 2.3 US BUR OF ECON ANALYSIS, REIS (UNPUBLISHED)

-TABLE 2.4-
EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE AND BROAD INDUSTRIAL SOURCES, FULL AND PART TIME WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT, PLUS THE NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS, 1967 THROUGH 1971, AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL EMPLOYMENT

CLASSIFICATION	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS	31.9%	32.0%	34.2%	32.7%	31.6%
FARM	18.1%	18.2%	17.3%	16.3%	15.5%
NON-FARM	13.8%	13.8%	16.9%	16.4%	16.1%
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT	68.1%	68.0%	65.8%	67.3%	68.4%
FARM	7.8%	6.8%	6.4%	6.0%	6.4%
NON-FARM	60.3%	61.2%	59.4%	61.3%	61.9%
GOVERNMENT	16.1%	16.1%	15.1%	14.9%	15.4%
TOTAL FEDERAL	1.3%	1.3%	1.1%	1.0%	1.1%
FEDERAL CIVILIAN	1.3%	1.3%	1.1%	1.0%	1.1%
MILITARY	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
STATE AND LOCAL	14.8%	14.8%	14.0%	14.0%	14.2%
PRIVATE NON-FARM	44.2%	45.2%	44.2%	46.3%	46.6%
MANUFACTURING	1.4%	1.6%	1.4%	2.1%	2.0%
MINING	7.6%	10.1%	11.2%	11.8%	12.4%
CONSTRUCTION	1.3%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%
TRANSP,COMM,PUB UTIL	2.9%	3.4%	3.2%	2.8%	2.7%
TRADE	16.0%	14.5%	13.6%	13.7%	13.9%
FINANCE,INSUR,REAL ESTATE	2.3%	2.3%	0.0%	0.0%	2.3%
SERVICES	12.7%	11.8%	10.9%	11.6%	11.5%
OTHER	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	1.4%	1.1%

SOURCES: TABLE 2.4 US BUR OF ECON ANALYSIS, REIS (UNPUBLISHED)

-TABLE 2.5-
EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION, BY SEX, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER, 1970

OCCUPATION	TOTAL	MALE		FEMALE	
	NUMBER	NUMBER	% OF TOTAL	NUMBER	% OF TOTAL
TOTAL EMPLOYED	1333	874	65.6%	459	34.4%
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL	128	44	34.4%	84	65.6%
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS (NON-FARM)	107	87	81.3%	20	18.7%
SALES WORKERS	59	24	40.7%	35	59.3%
CLERICAL	71	14	19.7%	57	80.3%
CRAFTSMEN AND FOREMEN	152	147	96.7%	5	3.3%
OPERATIVES	213	194	91.1%	19	8.9%
LABORERS (NON-FARM)	70	67	95.7%	3	4.3%
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	196	180	91.8%	16	8.2%
FARM LABORERS AND FOREMEN	85	72	84.7%	13	15.3%
SERVICE WORKERS	225	40	17.8%	185	82.2%
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	27	5	18.5%	22	81.5%

SOURCES: TABLE 2.5 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1970, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA

-TABLE 2.6-
EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION, BY SEX, TOTAL EMPLOYED, 1960

OCCUPATION	TOTAL	MALE		FEMALE	
	NUMBER	NUMBER	% OF TOTAL	NUMBER	% OF TOTAL
TOTAL EMPLOYED	1663	1168	70.2%	495	29.8%
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL	152	81	53.3%	71	46.7%
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS (NON-FARM)	154	140	90.9%	14	9.1%
SALES WORKERS	118	64	54.2%	54	45.8%
CLERICAL	156	42	26.9%	114	73.1%
CRAFTSMEN AND FOREMEN	154	154	100.0%	0	0.0%
OPERATIVES	318	301	94.7%	17	5.3%
LABORERS (NON-FARM)	57	57	100.0%	0	0.0%
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	177	162	91.5%	15	8.5%
FARM LABORERS AND FOREMEN	110	105	95.5%	5	4.5%
SERVICE WORKERS	165	52	31.5%	113	68.5%
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	67	5	7.5%	62	92.5%

SOURCES: TABLE 2.6 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1960, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA

-TABLE 3.1-
PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES AND EARNINGS BY BROAD INDUSTRIAL SECTOR IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS, 1967 THROUGH 1971

CLASSIFICATION	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME	8318	9311	9790	11062	12002
TOTAL WAGE AND SALARY DISBURSEMENTS	3544	3942	4262	4718	5600
OTHER LABOR INCOME	153	183	213	232	283
PROPRIETORS INCOME	2134	2318	2271	2663	2404
FARM PROPRIETORS INCOME	840	1072	1252	1553	1264
NON-FARM PROPRIETORS INCOME	1294	1246	1019	1110	1140
PROPERTY INCOME	1484	1729	1841	2073	2190
TRANSFER PAYMENTS	1312	1460	1561	1785	1593
LESS: PERSONAL CONTR FOR SOCIAL INS	309	321	358	409	468
TOTAL EARNINGS	5831	6443	6746	7613	8287
FARM EARNINGS	1183	1371	1592	1899	1663
NON-FARM EARNINGS	4648	5072	5154	5714	6624
GOVERNMENT EARNINGS	782	833	857	916	1064
TOTAL FEDERAL	168	169	155	155	202
FEDERL CIVIALIAN	122	125	108	104	145
MILITARY	46	44	47	51	57
STATE AND LOCAL	614	664	702	761	862
PRIVATE NON-FARM EARNINGS	3866	4239	4297	4798	5560
MANUFACTURING	86	103	105	163	182
MINING	875	1225	1385	1579	2020
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	149	217	WITHHELD	WITHHELD	111
TRANS, COMM, AND PUB UTILITIES	334	391	444	423	439
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	1157	1115	1068	1186	1358
FINANCE, INS, REAL ESTATE	303	299	WITHHELD	WITHHELD	388
SERVICES	932	861	821	894	965
OTHER	30	28	50	112	97

SOURCES: TABLE 3.1 US BUR OF ECON ANALYSIS, REIS (UNPUBLISHED)

-TABLE 3.2-
PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME,
AND EARNINGS BY BROAD INDUSTRIAL SECTOR AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL EARNINGS, 1967 THROUGH 1971

CLASSIFICATION	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
TOTAL WAGE AND SALARY DISBURSEMENTS	42.6%	42.3%	43.5%	42.7%	46.7%
OTHER LABOR INCOME	1.8%	2.0%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%
PROPRIETORS INCOME	25.7%	24.9%	23.2%	24.1%	20.0%
FARM PROPRIETORS INCOME	10.1%	11.5%	12.8%	14.0%	10.5%
NON-FARM PROPRIETORS INCOME	15.6%	13.4%	10.4%	10.0%	9.5%
PROPERTY INCOME	17.8%	18.6%	18.8%	18.7%	18.2%
TRANSFER PAYMENTS	15.8%	15.7%	15.9%	16.1%	16.6%
LESS: PERSONAL CONTR FOR SOCIAL INS	3.7%	3.4%	3.7%	3.7%	3.9%
TOTAL EARNINGS	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
FARM EARNINGS	20.3%	21.3%	23.6%	24.9%	20.1%
NON-FARM EARNINGS	79.7%	78.7%	76.4%	75.1%	79.9%
GOVERNMENT EARNINGS	13.4%	12.9%	12.7%	12.0%	12.8%
TOTAL FEDERAL	2.9%	2.6%	2.3%	2.0%	2.4%
FEDERL CIVIALIAN	2.1%	1.9%	1.6%	1.4%	1.7%
MILITARY	0.8%	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%
STATE AND LOCAL	10.5%	10.3%	10.4%	10.0%	10.4%
PRIVATE NON-FARM EARNINGS	66.3%	65.8%	63.7%	63.0%	67.1%
MANUFACTURING	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	2.1%	2.2%
MINING	15.0%	19.0%	20.5%	20.7%	24.4%
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	2.6%	3.4%	0.0%	0.0%	1.3%
TRANS, COMM, AND PUB UTILITIES	5.7%	6.1%	6.6%	5.6%	5.3%
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	19.8%	17.3%	15.8%	15.6%	16.4%
FINANCE, INS, REAL ESTATE	5.2%	4.6%	0.0%	0.0%	4.7%
SERVICES	16.0%	13.4%	12.2%	11.7%	11.6%
OTHER	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	1.5%	1.2%

SOURCES: TABLE 3.2 US BUR OF ECON ANALYSIS, REIS (UNPUBLISHED)

-TABLE 3.3-
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME, RESIDENCE ADJUSTED, IN DOLLARS, 1967 THROUGH 1971

ITEM	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
PER CAPITA INCOME (DOLLARS)	2155	2371	2569	2971	3264

-TABLE 3.4-
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME, 1949, 1959, AND 1969

	1949	1959		1969	
ITEM	NUMBER	NUMBER	% CHANGE FROM 1949	NUMBER	% CHANGE FROM 1959
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLLARS)	3385	4927	45.6%	6763	37.3%

-TABLE 3.5-
FAMILIES WITH INCOME LESS THAN POVERTY LEVEL, LESS THAN 75% OF POVERTY LEVEL, AND LESS THAN 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL, 1969

	INCOME LESS THAN POVERTY LEVEL		INCOME LESS THAN 75% OF POVERTY LEVEL		INCOME LESS THAN 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL	
ITEM	NUMBER	% OF TOTAL	NUMBER	% OF TOTAL	NUMBER	% OF TOTAL
FAMILIES	131	13.6%	97	10.1%	177	18.4%
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	150	43.4%	109	31.5%	208	60.1%
PERSONS	708	19.2%	577	15.6%	1005	27.3%

SOURCES: TABLE 3.3 US BUR OF ECON ANALYSIS, REIS (UNPUBLISHED)
TABLE 3.4 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1950,VOL II, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 26, MONTANA; 1960,1970, VOL I,PT 28
TABLE 3.5 US CENSUS OF POP: 1970, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 23, MONTANA

-TABLE 3.6-
NUMBER OF FAMILIES BY INCOME LEVELS, 1959 AND 1969

FAMILY INCOME	NUMBER OF FAMILIES 1959	% OF TOTAL	1969	% OF TOTAL	% CHANGE 1959 TO 1969
ALL FAMILIES	1261	100.0%	962	100.0%	-23.7%
UNDER $1000	79	6.3%	10	1.0%	-87.3%
$1000 TO $1999	126	10.0%	45	4.7%	-64.3%
$2000 TO $2999	145	11.5%	76	7.9%	-47.6%
$3000 TO $3999	160	12.7%	101	10.5%	-36.9%
$4000 TO $4999	130	10.3%	118	12.3%	-9.2%
$5000 TO $5999	161	12.8%	73	7.6%	-54.7%
$6000 TO $6999	150	11.9%	76	7.9%	-49.3%
$7000 TO $7999	124	9.8%	95	9.9%	-23.4%
$8000 TO $8999	50	4.0%	67	7.0%	34.0%
$9000 TO $9999	40	3.2%	51	5.3%	27.5%
$10000 TO $14999	60	4.8%	206	21.4%	243.3%
$15000 TO $24999	32	2.5%	39	4.1%	21.9%
$25000 AND OVER	4	0.3%	5	0.5%	25.0%

SOURCES: TABLE 3.6 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1960, 1970, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA

-TABLE 4.1-
COUNT OF HOUSING UNITS BY OCCUPANCY AND VACANCY STATUS, 1970

	OCCUPIED		VACANT				
			FOR RENT		FOR SALE		OTHER
ITEM	BY OWNER	BY RENTER	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER
HOUSING UNITS	992	328	85	20.6%	26	2.6%	143

-TABLE 4.2-
PERSONS PER ROOM FOR OWNER AND RENTER OCCUPIED UNITS, 1970

PERSONS PER ROOM	TOTAL	OWNER OCCUPIED	RENTER OCCUPIED
1.00 OR LESS	1210	918	292
1.01 - 1.50	95	64	31
1.51 OR MORE	15	10	5

-TABLE 4.3-
COUNT OF SELECTED RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS BY MONTHLY RENT IN DOLLARS, 1970

DOLLAR RANGE	TOTAL	WITH PLUMBING FACILITIES	LACKING ONE OR MORE PLUMBING FACILITIES
LESS THAN $40	104	60	44
$40 - $59	190	99	91
$60 - $79	98	49	49
$80 - $99	22	11	11
$100 - $149	4	2	2
$150 - $199	0	0	0
$200 OR MORE	0	0	0

SOURCES: TABLE 4.1 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970, FIRST COUNT SUMM COMPUTER TAPES, MONTANA DEPT OF IGR
TABLE 4.2 IBID
TABLE 4.3 IBID

-TABLE 4.4-
COUNT OF OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS FOR WHICH DOLLAR VALUE IS TABULATED, 1970

DOLLAR VALUE	COUNT OF OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS NUMBER	% OF TOTAL
TOTAL COUNT	669	100.0%
LESS THAN $5000	306	46.0%
$5000 - $9999	257	38.6%
$10000 - $14999	72	10.8%
$15000 - $19999	18	2.7%
$20000 - $24999	8	1.2%
$25000 - $34999	4	0.6%
$35000 - $49999	0	0.0%
$50000 AND OVER	0	0.0%

-TABLE 4.5-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE AND INCOME, 1970

TYPE	LESS THAN $5000	$5000 TO $9999	$10000 TO $14999	$15000 OR MORE
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILY	300	42	0	42
OTHER FAMILY	326	70	0	10
PRIMARY INDIVIDUAL	201	41	284	4

-TABLE 4.6-
OCCUPIED UNITS BY TYPE AND PLUMBING FACILITIES, 1970

FACILITIES	TOTAL NUMBER	OWNER NUMBER	OWNER % OF TOTAL	RENTER NUMBER	RENTER % OF TOTAL
WITH ALL PLUMBING FACILITIES	1159	879	75.8%	280	24.2%
LACKING ONE OR MORE PLUMBING FACILITIES	161	113	70.2%	48	29.8%

SOURCES: TABLE 4.4 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970, FIRST COUNT SUMM COMPUTER TAPES, MONTANA DEPT OF IGR
TABLE 4.5 IBID
TABLE 4.6 IBID

-TABLE 5.1-
TOTAL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT, PUBLIC AND NON-PUBLIC, BY COUNTY, 1968-69 THROUGH 1972-73

CLASSIFICATION	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73
PUBLIC					
ALL GRADES	979	931	885	884	890
ELEMENTARY	649	592	556	578	588
HIGH SCHOOL	330	339	329	306	302
NON-PUBLIC					
ALL GRADES	0	0	0	0	0
ELEMENTARY	0	0	0	0	0
HIGH SCHOOL	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL					
ALL GRADES	979	931	885	884	890
ELEMENTARY	649	592	556	578	588
HIGH SCHOOL	330	339	329	306	302

-TABLE 5.2-
SCHOOL CENSUS DATA BY COUNTY, 1968-69 THROUGH 1972-73

AGES	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73
TOTAL	1469	1425	1425	1450	1502
UNDER 6	283	291	300	337	370
6 - 20	1186	1134	1125	1113	1132

SOURCES: TABLE 5.1 OFFICE OF THE SUPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MONTANA, MONTANA SCHOOL STATISTICS
TABLE 5.2 IBID

-TABLE 5.3-
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT BY SEX AGED 25 YEARS OR MORE, 1970

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	MALE	FEMALE
ELEMENTARY	283	193
HIGH SCHOOL	355	386
COLLEGE	48	87
MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	10.3	12.1
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES	39.7	52.9

-TABLE 5.4-
MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED, 1950, 1960 AND 1970

ITEM	1950	1960	1970
MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	8.8	10.7	11.4

-TABLE 5.5-
NUMBER OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND STUDENT-TEACHER RATIOS, 1968-69 THROUGH 1972-1973

ITEM	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73
NUMBER OF TEACHERS	47	51	47	48	50
STUDENT-TEACHER RATIO	20.8	18.3	18.8	18.4	17.8

SOURCES: TABLE 5.3 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1970, VOL I, CHAR OF THE POP, PT 28, MONTANA
TABLE 5.4 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, COUNTY AND CITY DATA BOOK, 1952, 1962, 1972
TABLE 5.5 COMPUTED FROM MONTANA SCHOOL STATISTICS

-TABLE 6.1-
BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, AND MARITAL DISSOLUTIONS, 1970 THROUGH 1972

ITEM	1970	1971	1972
BIRTHS	58	40	53
DEATHS	44	52	58
MARRIAGES	31	45	46
MARITAL DISSOLUTIONS	27	28	16

-TABLE 6.2-
BIRTH, DEATH, MARRIAGE AND MARITAL DISSOLUTION RATES, 1970 THROUGH 1972

RATES (PER 1000 POPULATION)	1970	1971	1972
BIRTH	15.53	10.81	13.59
DEATH	11.78	14.05	14.87
MARRIAGE	8.30	12.16	11.79
MARITAL DISSOLUTION	7.23	7.57	4.10

-TABLE 6.3-
MARITAL STATUS OF ALL PERSONS, 14 YEARS OLD AND OLDER, 1970

ITEM	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
NEVER MARRIED	645	419	226
MARRIED	1781	888	893
SEPARATED	17	10	7
WIDOWED	319	62	257
DIVORCED	98	60	38

SOURCES: TABLE 6.1 STATE DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS (ANNUAL)
TABLE 6.2 COMPUTED FROM MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS AND POPULATION ESTIMATES (TABLE 1.4)
TABLE 6.3 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, US CENSUS OF POP: 1970, FIRST COUNT SUMM COMPUTER TAPES (PROCESSED) MONTANA DEPT IGR

-TABLE 7.1-
NUMBER OF FARMS, ACRES AND AVERAGE SIZE, 1969

	TOTAL FARMS	LAND IN FARMS	AVERAGE SIZE OF FARMS	COUNTY AREA	PERCENT OF LAND IN FARMS
COUNTY	228	1144940	5022	1207680	94.8%

-TABLE 7.2-
NUMBER OF FARMS BY TYPE OF PRODUCTS REPORTED, 1969

	CATTLE AND CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP	CHICKENS	MILK COWS	HORSES	CORN	WHEAT
NUMBER	192	30	40	45	59	143	12	81

-TABLE 7.3-
NUMBER OF FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS, 1969

	CLASS 1 $40000 & OVER	CLASS 2 $20000 -$39999	CLASS 3 $10000 -$19999	CLASS 4 $5000 -$9999	CLASS 5 $2500 -$4999	CLASS 6 $50- $2499	PART TIME	PART RETIRE	ABNORMAL
NUMBER	25	42	56	31	33	2	35	0	4

SOURCES: TABLE 7.1 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF AG: 1969 (MONTANA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, VOL XIV)
TABLE 7.2 IBID
TABLE 7.3 IBID

TABLE 7.4
CASH RECEIPTS FROM SALE OF PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS, 1970 AND 1971

YEAR	LIVESTOCK AND PRODUCTS	CROPS	RECEIPTS FROM MARKETING	GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS	ALL CASH RECEIPTS	CASH RECEIPTS PER FARM
1970	5222500	695600	5918100	402000	6320100	26224
1971	5655300	670500	6325800	386000	6711800	28440

-TABLE 7.5-
ALL CROPS, IRRIGATED AND NOT IRRIGATED, ACRES HARVESTED AND VALUE OF CROP PRODUCTION, 1970 AND 1971

	IRRIGATED		NOT IRRIGATED	
YEAR	ACRES HARVESTED	VALUE OF CROP PRODUCTION	ACRES HARVESTED	VALUE OF CROP PRODUCTION
1970	7300	426300	38500	932900
1971	8030	475400	30100	763000

SOURCES: TABLE 7.4 MONTANA DEPT OF AG AND US DEPT OF AG, SRS, MONTANA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, VOL XIV, CO STATISTICS 1970-1971
TABLE 7.5 IBID

8. LAND USE AND GEOGRAPHY

-TABLE 8.1-
LAND USE IN ACRES, 1967

CLASSIFICATION	ACRES	% OF TOTAL
TOTAL LAND AREA	1207040	100.0%
FEDERAL NON-CROPLAND	117930	9.8%
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	14100	1.2%
SMALL WATER AREAS	1485	0.1%
AGRICULTURE	1073525	88.9%
CROPLAND	62905	5.2%
PASTURE	24505	2.0%
RANGE	733882	60.8%
FOREST	242405	20.1%
OTHER	9828	0.8%

-TABLE 8.2-
LAND IN FARMS BY MAJOR USE, 1969

CLASSIFICATION	ACRES	% OF TOTAL
LAND IN FARMS	1144940	100.0%
CROPLAND	75360	6.6%
HARVESTED	36813	3.2%
PASTURED	14441	1.3%
ALL OTHER	24106	2.1%
WOODLAND	87356	7.6%
ALL OTHER LAND	982224	85.8%

SOURCES: TABLE 8.1 MONTANA STATE CONSERVATION NEEDS COMMITTEE, MONTANA SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION NEEDS INVENTORY, 1970
TABLE 8.2 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF AG: 1969 (MONTANA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, VOL XIV)

-TABLE 8.3-
LAND USE, IRRIGATION, PASTURELAND, RANGELAND, AND CONSERVATION, 1969

	IRRIGATED LAND IN FARMS		FARMS WITH SALE OF PRODUCTS OVER $2500		
	FARMS	ACRES	PASTURE AND RANGELAND	LAND IN STRIP CROPPING	LAND IN SUMMER FALLOW
COUNT	62	8124	931288	15296	17346

-TABLE 8.4-
PRECIPITATION AND NUMBER OF DAYS BETWEEN FREEZING TEMPERATURES,1970 AND 1971

	AVERAGE	1970	1971
PRECIPITATION (INCHES)	10.93	12.20	9.06
GROWING SEASON PRECIPITATION	8.22	9.33	4.91
NUMBER OF DAYS IN GROWING SEASON	129	122	130

SOURCES: TABLE 8.3 US BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF AG: 1969 (MONTANA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, VOL XIV)
TABLE 8.4 MONTANA DEPT OF AG AND US DEPT OF AG, SRS, MONTANA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, VOL XIV, CO STATISTICS 1970 1971